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TN2002-256 And To

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Hon. Sara Kyle, Chairman Tennessee Regulatory Authority 460 James Robertson Parkway Nashville, Tennessee 37243-0505

Re:

Petition to Suspend BellSouth Tariff No.

Convene A Contested Case Proceeding

Docket No. 02-01073

Dear Chairman Kyle:

Enclosed please find an original and thirteen (13) copies of an Agreed Motion to Continue Procedural Schedule for Thirty Days. Mr. Henry Walker, counsel for the CLEC Coalition (AT&T and Birch), has expressly authorized me to sign this Motion on his behalf. This Motion has been discussed with the Hearing Officer.

> Very truly yours, Guy M. Hicks

GMH/kjh

Enclosure

BEFORE THE TENNESSEE REGULATORY AUTHORITY NASHVILLE, TENNESSEE

In Re:

Petition To Suspend BellSouth Tariff No. TN2002-256 And To Convene A

Contested Case Proceeding

Docket No. 02-01073

AGREED MOTION

TO CONTINUE PROCEDURAL SCHEDULE FOR THIRTY DAYS

BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc. ("BellSouth"), AT&T Communications of the South Central States, Inc. and Birch Telecom, Inc. (the "CLEC Coalition") request that the Hearing Officer continue the procedural schedule established by the Notice dated January 30, 2003 for thirty (30) days. Specifically, BellSouth and the CLEC Coalition request that the Hearing Officer move each deadline set forth in the January 30, 2003 Notice back thirty (30) days from the date set forth on the Notice. The Consumer Protection Division of the Office of the Attorney General has no objection to this Motion.

BellSouth and the CLEC Coalition are engaged in settlement discussions which, if successful, will obviate the need for a hearing or procedural schedule.

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that on February 5, 2003, a copy of the foregoing document was served on counsel for known parties, via the method indicated, addressed as follows:

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